

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

1. (Currently Amended) A solar cell module comprising:

a light transmitting member on a front surface side containing at least sodium, a rear surface resin film, a plurality of solar cell elements sealed with sealing resin between the light transmitting member on the front surface side and the rear surface resin film, and a water transmission preventing layer ~~arranged in a position including at least an interval part between the solar cell elements adjacent each other~~ between the light transmitting member and the rear surface resin film.

2. (Original) The solar cell module according to claim 1 wherein,

the light transmitting member on the front surface side is glass and the rear surface resin film is a transparent resin film.

3. (Original) The solar cell module according to claim 1, wherein

the water transmission preventing layer has a smaller water vapor transmission rate than that of the sealing resin.

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Previously Amended) The solar cell module according to claim 1, wherein

the water transmission preventing layer is a plate glass bonded on a surface of the rear surface resin film.

6. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~ A solar cell module according to claim 1, comprising:

a light transmitting member on a front surface side containing at least sodium, a rear surface resin film, a plurality of solar cell elements sealed with sealing resin

between the light transmitting member on the front surface side and the rear surface resin film, and a water transmission preventing layer arranged in a position including at least an interval part between the solar cell elements adjacent each other,

wherein the water transmission preventing layer is formed on a plane with the solar cell elements.

7. (Previously Amended) The solar cell module according to claim 1, wherein the water transmission preventing layer is formed so as to cover the interval part between the solar cell elements.

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Currently Amended) The solar cell module according to claim 1, wherein the water transmission preventing layer ~~has~~ is the rear surface resin film with a water vapor transmission rate not higher than 6.3 g/m<sup>2</sup> day.

10. (Previously Added) The solar cell module according to claim 1, wherein the water transmission preventing layer is a plate glass having a thickness between 0.005 and 0.1 mm bonded on a rear surface resin film.

11. (New) A solar cell module comprising:

a light transmitting member on a front surface side containing at least sodium, a rear surface resin film, a plurality of solar cell elements sealed with sealing resin between the light transmitting member on the front surface side and the rear surface resin film, and a water transmission preventing layer arranged in a position including at least an interval part between the solar cell elements adjacent each other,

wherein the water transmission preventing layer is the rear surface resin film with a water vapor transmission rate not higher than 6.3g/m<sup>2</sup>·day.